THE GREAT BUILDING LIGHTED FOR LAST NIGHT'S CHOIR REHEARSAL.

Dr. Needham's Sermon on "The Day of Atonement "-Mr. Bliss Hasa Fine Meeting at Old Market,

The Mondy tabernacle was lighted last night for the first time, and under the glow of the numerous are-lights placed erein, every nook and corner was as

The large choir was rehearsed by Mr. Jarobs, assisted by Mr. Waher Mercer, and sang in a very creditable manner, a choir numbers 1,000 voices, among hem being some of Richmond's best musi-

To handle and train such a vest numof singers is a fearful task, at best, with this choir. The to about equally divided into sotenors, contraltos, and bassos, h a volume, seldom, if ever before in this city. Every note can be is heard in every portion of the or, the acoustics of which seem to

the choir was accompanied by an organ

ther rehearsal will be held at the emicle to-morrow night. will be a meeting of the Moody Hall, The personal workers will ing on Saturday evenling at 8 W. Bliss will deliver an ad How to Deal With Inquirers." a is expected to be present and we or three Gospel hymns, obs will conduct services in a half Sunday afternoor for men only, Mr. Bliss subject, "Two Men." Mr

the city. Is a meeting for boys be-ties a meeting for boys be-ties of 12 and 16 years at ion half at 5 o'clock Sunday for meeting will be led by see will be boy soloists. In will conduct services in the Sunday mind.

several soles, and will several of the leading

Dr. Needham Last Night.

read the 17th chapter of

day of the lewish year. It erved of all days. It had VETERINARY SURGEONS ORGANIZE.

20-D AND MAN ONE. cos flock did. What hinders be held in all the Catt be held in all the Catholic and Episcopal

took for his subject "For difference," from Romans 226 verse, and preached an

t in his sight all men are alike

hom God's offer of salvation nted. "Whosoever will may drink of the water of life so the offer was to all, high and

three men succeeded in business is every 190, and yet seventy-five lans out of every 190 had consistent and some men will say, "I won't be estian because so few are consist. They never hesitate to enter Laster that reason. He concluded by the story of Rowland Hill, who, a fashionable and wealthy lady at his meetings, called an auction soul of a lady. The devil had wealth, power, worldly fame, and wealth power, worldly fame, and Christ gave himself for her, and by came up to the pulpit and said and paid the highest price, and a his. Those offers for men's souls still open-who would accept Christ's

man made a deep impression.
of those present remained for childry meeting. A large number fessed conversion. The interest in-ies nightly, and grest good is being implished. More Christian workers needed at these meetings to answer enculries of those who are seeking way of life."

Preperty Transfers.

Richmond: Simon Harris's trustees to Indians, 40 feet on Beverly street of the Officer Linden, 500.

Virgina A. and Mary O. Harwood and buys the best liniment out, Salvation Oil.

C. L. Culpepper to Jonn S. and R. H. Harwood, interest in assets of firm of Harwood Bros. & Co., and especially in 44 feet on west side St. James street near Hill, lots 3 and 4 in block 35, Barton Heights, 5 acres on i.adles' Mile road, and property elsewhere, \$7,600.

William H. Taylor to Samuel Jacobs, 22 feet on south side Clay street near Third, subject to dee! of trust for \$1,515, \$5,000.

Mary A. Morton's trustee to W. C.

Mary A. Morton's trustee to W. McDowell, 87½ feet on Reservoir street northwest corner Cary, 84,006.

John Barth to the Lattle Sisters of the Poor, in Richmond, 20 feet on east side Cherry street near Spring, 25 feet on same near same, and 22 feet on an alley between Spring, Albemarte, Laurel, and Cherry streets.

Cherry streets.
Henrico: Atlantic and Virginia Fertil-tzing Company to Sulphur Mines Com-pany, 5 8-10 acres on Powhatan street, \$1. 10. 3. Barnett and wife to Lewis Ginter, 10 3-10 acres on Brook turnpike, in ex-change for other property and \$2,000. Henry Bolling and wife to B. F. Turner, interest in 60 feet on north side Newburn street, and 180 feet on north side Selden street, \$5.

Chewning, E. S. Rose and their wives to Mary E. Washer, 20 feet on north side Louisiana street near Erin, \$800.

Lewis Ginter to R. W. Barnett, 200 feet on east side Chamberlayne avenue in exchange for other property.

John T. Hamsay to George O. Hall, 50 feet on east side Meade street near Winder, \$500.

RECOVERY OF STOLEN GOODS. Jewelry, Silverware, Clothing, and Other

Articles at Taylor's House.

Nearly a wagon-load of goods stoler in Washington by the mysterious "Jack f terror and destruction is believed to have been broken by the arrest of George ice of the national capital, were recovered esterday at the home of Taylor's father, Hanover county, about twelve miles

ves Edward Horne and R. E. Weeden, were conducted to the Taylor cabin, Atlee's Station, by Sergeant Tomlin-and Detective Schiler, of this city, and Detective Schlief, of this city, son as Sergeant Tombinson learned of or's arrest and that he had been sing packages here, he had no diffi-in locating the place, as he has had edealings with the family, four officers drove out to the house double vehicle, and upon returning the articles, which they found stored in a clear, arranged them in Care-

in a chest, unpacked them in Car

and a breast-pin to match. These g to the wife of the colored lawyer who was rebbed of about \$250 worth ister of John M. Langston, and he is ted to Fred, Douglas. It is estimated related to Fred, Pouglas. It is estimated that the goods recovered are worth about \$400, though they would not sell for near

ong other things found in Taylor's home to-night, think Taylor has more money hid away somewhere else.

The State Association Meets Here and

Liects Officers. The first charter meeting of the Vir ging State Veterinary Medical Association was held yesterday at the Young Christian Association Hall, This society was incorporated by the Legisla ture at its last session, and only gradu ties of recognized veterinary and medica are eligible to membership, those present were Drs. Miller, am, luxon, of Charlottesville.

of Cobham; Ioxon, of Charlottesville, Niles, of Ishacksburg; Faville, of Norfolk, Adamson, of Norfolk; Harbaugh, Donald-son, and Swedberg, of Richmond. The meeting was railed to order by chairman Harbaugh, After adopting a constitution and by-laws, as introduced by a committee consisting of Drs. Niles,

Motion was made to adjourn and con-ene at Norfolk Angust 15th. After the meeting the veterinarians wer-andsomely entertained by Dr. and Mrs

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES.

To-day being Good Friday, services wi

altar, where the mass of the presanctified is celebrated.

At 3 o'clock, the hour which, tradition states, was the time the Saviour expired, there will be the Way of the Cross. At night at 8 the Tenebrae will be sung, followed by the Way of the Cross. hight at 8 the Tenebrae will be sung, fol-lowed by the Way of the Cross.

At St. Mary's German Catholic church mass will be celebrated at 7:30 o'clock, after which the Holy Sepulchre will be exposed, and the exposition will continue until 12 o'clock Saturday. All the faithful are expected to make a visit during this

at Old-Market Hall last be conducted the story in the Crucifixion will be sung. This will occupy about an hour. There will not be tickets of admission, as some have seemed to suppose. The church will be open to all who desire to attend.

If Held in the Armory Consent Will Have

Colonel Jones has not yet received a report of the meeting of the Bazaar Comseen by a Dispatch man yesterday, he sans that he could give no information as to what course would be pursued by the regiment. "The armory." he said, "is only granted the regiment for inil-tary purposes, and we have no right to hold a bazaar therein without first ob-taining the consent of the Grounds and Buildings Committee."

Whether or not the regiment would

Whether or not the regiment would ask for this permission the Colonel could not say, nor would he attempt to presage the action of the officers' meeting next Monday night. It is almost an assured fact, however, that the bazaar will be held, and that the armory will be used for the more there seems to be not held, and that the armory will be a for that purpose there seems to be no reasonable grounds for doubt. If the request is made of them, it is hardly probable that the Committee on Grounds and Bulidings will hesitate about granting the use of the building.

In Joseph Arthur's "Still Alarm" Com-pany, which will appear at the Academy to-night, local play-goers will find a num-ber of old friends. There is Jack Manley,

ber of old friends. There is Jack Manley, the brave, impetuous, and heroic fireman: Eleanore Foruham, the beautiful heroine; Mrs. Manley, the sweet old motherly soul; the lively, irrepressible Cad; Doo, with his shattered reputation, and others no less important in the development of the interesting story. Mr. Arthur's name is a guarantee of the excellence of the company and the elaborate nature of the company and the elaborate nature of the

Woltz, and A. F. Holt. Second Ward-H. A. Jordan, A. E. Harding, and Willie Gibbs.

Third Ward-W. E. Smith, C. F. Lipscomb, and H. E. Cobb. Fourth Ward-W. T. Lithgow, F. A.

JUDGES OF ELECTION.

THOSE CHOSEN TO CONDUCT MAN-CHESTER'S DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY.

Judge Miller Qualifies-Literary and De

bating Society-Personal and

Other News Notes.

The City Democratic Committee met in

the Police-Court room last night and se-

lected the judges for the primary elec-

April. They are as follows:

Lamb, and J. Q. Holt. There will be another meeting of the First Ward in the place of Mr. A. H. Ga. Wright, recently elected on the police

Hon. Thomas M. Miller, of Powhatan, ducted the entertainment. Dancing began qualified in the Hustings Court yesterday

ciety held its regular meeting last evening, Messrs, C. H. Maurice, B. W. Nunnally, J. R. Perdue, and Samuel Patteson assisted in the entertainment of those present.

The rainbow entertainment last night at the residence of Mr. W. L. Moody, on Porter street, was a great success, and evening. The proceeds will go to the experience funds of the Bainbridge-Street

Moses Sycle, Morte Florsheim, Mamie Meyer, Eta Myer, and Walker Schaap, dressed as Indians, squatted about in one corner of the large hall, and represented an Indian camp.

Among the other characters were: The White-Caps—Corine Strause, Fannie Edel, Baptist church.

A new council of the Junior Order A new council of the Junior Order United American Mechanics will be or-ganized at Odd-Fellows' Hall next Mon-

lay night. In the Hustings Court yesterday only civil business was transacted. The court will probably adjourn for the term to-

A white man indulged yesterday after-A white man indulged yesterday afternoon a trifle too freely in the glass that cheers, and as he was zigzagzing it up aims, several dozen silver and plated cons and forks, a good deal of jeweiry. I a quantity of clothing, It is thought in the lot of cuff-buttons are the restolen from Judge Miller, of the Pocard Lawrence of the court, whose house was one of the trobbed. The handsomest jewelr yound were a heavy antique pearl necks, and a breast-pin to match. These ong to the wife of the colored lawyer, it, who was rebect of about \$250 worth. The Manchester Fire Company has re-ceived three new shut-off nozzles, which will be of great benefit to the fire laddles in battling with the flames. Buck Harris, the negro, who was on

Wednesday convicted of a felony in the Hustings Court and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary, was taken to that institution—yesterday by City-Serceant Fitzgerald.

There will be services appropriate to
Easter at Meade-Memorial church Sun-

There will also be services in this church to-day,
Master Charles Beasley, of Bermuda
Hundred, while cutting feed yesterday
morning, painfully lacerated two of his
fingers. He was brought to this city,
and Drs. Friends and Ingram dressed his
womn's it was found necessary to amwounds. It was found necessary to am-There was not a case on the docket at

Court yesterday, W. Miller, of Swansboro', is ruite sick

THEY WILL PLAY BALL TO-DAY. Plebmand Callege Spiders to Meet Lehigh-Vale-University Game To Morrow.

The base-ball game to-day between the rack nines of the Lehigh (Pa.) Univerity and Richmond College promises to be an interesting event, and as the opening game of the season, will no doubt be largely attended.

to Richmond. Lowe, of the Longue team to Richmond. Lowe, of the Boston League Club, has been training them for several weeks, and they come here to tackle the College "Spiders" after carrying out a schedule including games with the Washington Young Mone Christian Association new suits. Their team contains six of the members of last year's summer team, and they are in addition strengthened by Acree, who played short-stop on the Danville team last year; Harrison, who plays left field; Turner, another outfielder, and Johnson, one of the catchers. The pitchers are Anthony and Nelson. They will be caught by F. Duke and Johnson. Anthony and Nelson will alternate be-tween pitch and first base; W. Duke will blay second; Acree short-stop, and Philtween pitch and first base; W. Duke Win play second; Acree short-stop, and Phil-lips will cover third. It is thought to be a team of good batters as well as good players, and the chances are about even for a victory over Lehigh. This being the first time they have met a northern team, the college boys are on their met-tle, and expect to play the game of their

"VARSITY" BOYS AND YALE. Society is all agog over the game of ball to be played at Island Park Satur-day between the University of Virginia and Yale University, and it safe to pre-dict that if the weather is propitious one

of the largest fashionable audiences ever tathered there will grace the occasion with their presence. with their presence. Captain George Ainslie, who has charge of the arrangements here, has received a coster of the Yale team. Following are

roster of the Yale team. Following are the players and their positions: Greenway, Murphy, and George, catch-ers; Carter, Trudeau, Gunther, and Kea-ton, pitchers; Quimby, short-stop; Ste-phenson, first base; Rustin, second base; Arbuthurt, third base, and Case, Speer, and Reddington in the field. The nine will travel in their private hotel-car, and will arrive in Richmond to-steht. They will live on their car. The night. They will live on their car. The Virginia boys will reach Richmond to morrow morning.

ABOUT THE HOME TEAMS. Captain Tim West, of the Richmond Club, has signed six of his players, and expects to close negotiations with the rest to-morrow. He declines to state who his players are until after he has signed

the entire nine.

Work on the park, corner of Main and
Vine streets, will begin Monday, and Mr.
Bradley, who has the matter in charge
expects to have it completed by April The Richmond Club will play the Rich

April.

STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY.

The State Board of Pharmacy was i session until a late hour last night, examining the papers of candidates and considering points in the law. The board will complete its labors to-day, and will be ready to-morrow to announce the name of the candidates who have passed suc

cessful examinations.

These examinations are designed to test the knowledge of the candidate of the drug business, and a high standard has been established by the beant. drug business, and a high standard habeen established by the board. Each candidate is required to make 75 per cent on the questions submitted, and the same on practical work. The retiring member of the board is Mr. C. M. Fleet, of Lynchburg, who has served his full term of five years. He will be succeeded by Mr. C. P. Keerfoot, of Martinsville, lately appointed by the Governor. Mr. Fleet is the efficient president of the board. The new pharmacy law goes into effect July 1st, and embraces several radical changes. Its operations will be watched with interest throughout the State. There are boards of pharmacy established by law in nearly all the States in the Union, and their purpose is to elevate the standard their purpose is to elevate the standard of education in the profession, and afford the public protection against mistakes in

ABOUT THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE. The Contest of the Christian Woman

compounding prescriptions.

The County Court, Judge Wickham pre siding, was in session for a short while

The case of J. T. Brown, the colored un-dertaker, who was arrested on a war-rant charging him with illegally detain-

John M. Winn, a coloted boy, aged 15 years, was before 'Equire Vincent yesterday on a warrant sworn out by Virginia Brown (colored), aged 27 years, charging him with betraying her under a promise of marriage. The case was dismissed.

The negro Louis Washington, who was placed in the jail Wednesday, suffering from concussion of the brain, is still in a very critical condition. He talks incoherently, and declines to give any account whatsoever of himself.

Mr. Guigon has summoned no witnesses for the examination into the alleged election frauds at Smither's Precinct, but he says he will be ready to have the grand jury go into the investigation to-morrow.

tion, which will be held on the 3d of First Ward-C. F. Fischer, Edward

DANCED IN A GOOD GAUSE.

Beth Ahaba Sunday-School Gives a Masked Ball for Atlanta's Orphan Asylum. A grand Purim masked ball was give

at Masonic Temple last night by the Beth committee next Thursday, Mr. C. S. Ahaba Sunday school for the benefit of Sims has been elected a member from the the Jewish Orphan Asylum at Atlanta, Rev. Dr. Calisch, assisted by Messrs

Simon Whitlock and Marx Gunst, con-

promptly at 8:50 o'clock and continued qualified in the Hustings Court yesterday as judge of the County courts of Powhatan and Cumberland. Judge Miller is well known in Manchester, where he is held in the highest esteem. He was at one time a member of the House of Delegates from this district, and has also held the position of Commonwealth's Attorney of Powhatan. He was, while residing in this city, the law partner of Judge Ingram.

The Henry Literary and Debating Society held its regular meeting last evening. Mesers C. H. Maurice, B. W. Nun-side Mesers C. H. Ma Nettie Kaufman, Blanche Kaufman, an Sadie Well. Masters Charles Straus. Sid-ney Rosenstock. Ben Rosenstock, James Cohen, Max Cohen, Mitteldorfer, Straus. Moses Sycle, Morte Florsheim, Mami-

Moses Sycie, Meyer, and Walker Schaap, dressed as Indians, squatted about in one corner of the large hall, and represented an Indian camp.

Among the other characters were: The White-Cape-Corine Strause, Fannie Edel, and Florence Edel, Leon Libermuth portrayed Grover Cleveland; Moses Mittle-dorfer, Uncle Hiram; Sol. Schwartzschild, Little Lord Fauntieroy; Lewis Libermuth, Daisy Bell; Walter Hirsh, Henry Strause, Ernest and Edwin Levy, Bakers; Hazel Strauss, Rosa Block, Katie Binswanger, and Ralph Binswanger, Dancers; Walter Sycle and Bell Stern, Tammany; Harold Bloomberg, A Bad Egg; Bernard Caron, Jake Haufman, and Melvin Stern, Tramps; Sidney Gunst, Long Nose; Lawrence Stern, Little Lord Fauntieroy; Maxey Levy, Little Lord Fauntieroy; Maxey Levy, Little Lord Fauntieroy; Maxey Levy, Little Lord Fauntieron. Nose; Lawrence Serb. Little Lord Faunti-leroy; Maxey Levy, Little Lord Faunti-roy; Roscoe Nelson and William Loven-stein, Punch and Judy; Chin Straus-Swell-Head Schoolboy; Percy Strause, re-presenting the T. C. C.; Meyer Peyser presenting the T. C. C.; Meyer Peyser Prince Karl; Adolph Lang, Italian Ped-dler; Ervin Goodman, Tramp; Mortor Meyer, Chinaman, Hattie Iseman, Batter fly; Etta Sycle, Flower-Girl; Albert Gunst, Russian Prince; Nathan and Jake Hell-stern, Farmer and Wife; Percy Ezekiel, Newsboy; Arthur Rothschild, Russlan Peddler; Adoph Lang, Rooster; Ruby Florsheim, Flower-Girl; Nathan Nelson, Corbett; Ben Hloomterg, Mitchell; El-ward Lovenstein, Dude; Lewis Hellstern, Domino, Re Hellstern, Waiter; Leon Hell-stern, Bootblack; Sam berman, Russlan Domino, Re Hellstern, Watter, Leon Feistern, Bootblack; Sam Leeman, Russian Peddler; Merton Resenbaum, Jockey; Liij Block, Nurse; Essie Caron, Milk-Woman Clarence Gunst, Polkadot-Girl; Beil Block Butter-Girl; Helen Thalhimer, Little Bo Peep; Etta Greentrer, Gipsy; Etta Sycle Photografiel; Florence Thalhidings, Pen Phower-Girl; Florence Thallielmer, Pen-sant-Girl; Louis Haufman, Tambourine Girl; Rosalie Held, Domino; Hattle Is-man, Flower-Girl; Fanny E. Mittledorfer Tambourine-Girl, Bessie Bradley, Morn-ing; Edward Bloomberg, Cerca, Godess of Grain; Helen Ezekiel, Scotch Peasant-Girl; Cecile Hauff, Flower-Girl, and Mabel

OUR CLUBS "DENS OF INIQUITY." Dr. Needham Says He Has the Facts But

Will Not Give Them. Rev. Dr. Needham, the evangelist now breaching of Graci-Street Presbyterian reporter last night and asked if he would give for publication some of the facts on which he based the severe criticism language: "The clubs of Richmond are no better than those of any other city. They are all the vilest dens of iniquity. When I make this assertion, I know what I am talking about, I said the same thing when I was in Richmond eight years ago, and some of the young men wanted to chop my head off, but the head is still here. I woulder where some of those heads have gone. When I besself. is still here. I wonder where some of those heads have gone. Wives, I beseech you to keep your husbands and sons at home. Keep them out of that atmos-phere. Beautify your homes, have good music, make things pleasant, and keep the men from the clubs."

I would prefer not to talk. Suffice it to say that I knew whereof I spoke, and have sufficient facts in my possession with which to substantiate every word These facts were

I uttered. These facts were communicated to me by gentlemen in Richmond-ex-club members.

"No, I do not propose to wage war against clubs." the evangelist replied to another question. "I am not here for that purpose. What I said Wednesday was merely a massing remark and was

crank, and simply laugh at me for my

Mrs. Mary Dandridge May, willow of Major John Pegvam May, of Petersburg, died yesterday after an illness of a few days, in Ashland, at the resi-dence of her son-in-law, Powhatan Breeden, Deceased was a woman of beautiful Christian character, tender, af-fectionate, cheerful, and devoted to her amily and friends.

family and friends.

The funeral will take place at Grace Episcopal church at 2 o'clock this afternoon, the remains arriving at Elba by 2:38 P. M. train from the North via the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad. The following is a list of pall-bearers, who will assemble at the residence of A. J. Watkins, 40t east Grace street, at 2 o'clock P. M. Friday and go thence to Elba: Active-Thomas Poindexter,

Active-Thomas Pointexter, Con-cockenbrough, James H. Chenery, Jor-m Leake, N. Talley, Henry Watkins, M. Nelly, and Charles Watkins, Honorary-Henry G. Cannon, Adolph Honorary-Henry G. Cannon, Adolph Dill, R. G. Pegram, W. H. P. Morris, Dr. Henry C. Scott, A. J. Watkins, John H. Poweil, and John R. Cary.

Marriage of Mr. Nelson and Miss Ellyson. Mr. A. Ruggles Nelson and Miss May Langdon Ellyson were married at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 814 avenue, at 5:30 o'clock yesterday

The ceremony was performed by Rev. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. James Nelson, father of the groom, assisted by Rev. Dr. W. W. Landrum, the bride's pastor. The attendants were Miss Nannie M. Ellyson, cousin of the bride, and Miss Laura Virginia Nelson, sister of the groom; Mr. James H. Stone, best man, and Mr. Henry K. Eliyson, Jr., brother of the bride. The bride and

best man, and Mr. Henry K. Eliyson, Jr., brother of the bride. The bride and her bridesmalds were attired in white. After the ceremony a collation was served, and the couple left on the 7:15 train for the North.

Invitations were confined to the relatives of the two families. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Langdon, of Baltimore. The bride is a daughter of Mr. H. Theodore Ellyson, secretary and treasurer of the Dispatch Company, and the groom a well-known young business-man of Richmond.

Polk Miller in Demand. Mr. Polk Miller is in receipt of a tele-gram from William Carey, of the Cen-tury, asking him to come to New York on Monday, March 26th, and deliver his recttal on "The Old Virginia Plantation Negro." Mr. Miller will go. He also en-tertains the Hamilton Club, Brooklyn, N. Y., with the same subject, Thursday, the

ing the body of Barbara Christian, came up before "Squire" Vincent yesterday, and was continued until Monday. The body was buried by Undertaker Cook yesterday.

John M. Winn, a colored boy, aged 15 years, was before 'Squire Vincent yesterday on a warrant sworn out by Virginia Brown (colored), aged 27 years, charging him with betraying her under a promise of marriage. The case was dismissed.

The negro Louis Washington, who was placed in the jail Wednesday, suffering wentless of the expiration of the terms of certain members.

Hebrew Association's Masked Ball. Hebrew Association gave a masquerade ball there, and as prizes were offered for the best costumes, each dancer view with the others in the selection of their

with the others in the selection of their would-be prize-winners.
Dancing was begun at 9 o'clock, and continued until the "wee sma' hours."
To Mrs. N. F. Jacobs was awarded a handsome fan for the best costumed lady. Mr. Hen Speger, who was dressed as an old country "nigger," was presented with a silk umbrella, and Mr. A. Loewensen, as a salior, won the gold medal.

Mr. F. Rosenstein awarded the prizes at midnight, in a short and appropriate address.

Visit Henderson Lodge.

Henderson Lodge, No. 165, I. O. O. F., of Manchester, was paid an official visit by Grand-Master Thomas N. Kendler last night. There was quite a large attendance, and the meeting was a very successful one. The Grand Master made an interesting address. Speeches were made by other Richmond Odd-Pellows.

The lodge decided to avaid as invite. The lodge decided to extend an invita-tion to the Grand Lodge, which as-sembles in Alexandria this year, to hold its next annual session in Manchester Committees were appointed looking to

Earlier Mail Delivery.

this end.

terday.

over the Danville road, about 9 o'clock Postmaster Cullingworth is still working northern mail on the train, so that will be pouched for the carriers when it reaches the office. This will save two hours in its distribution on the streets.

At the star-course entertainment at the Young Men's Christian Association last night Mr. Polk Miller delighted a large crowd with his celebrated lecture on the "old-time darkey." Among the specta-tors were Governor and Mrs. O'Ferrall,

Personals and Briefs. The New-Market Democratic Club will

Mr. Charles E. Johnson, of Raleigh, N. Captain C. R. Warren, of Grimes Bat

Portsmouth, was in the city yes

Mrs. J. W. Tyler, who has been ex tremely ill for the past month, is con-valescent,

Stringfellow, are at the Caldwell, in Birmingham, Ala. Mr. Frederick Bauer still continue

Miss Edna M. Hazelgrove, of Hazeldel

Mrs. John N. Norton, of Washington D. C., is the guest of her niece, Mrs John K. Mason, 199 west Grace. Mr. John J. Finegan, who has been re

slding in Charleston, S. C., for the pass two years, returned to the city yesterday Mr. O. S. Walden has been elected a representative from Eagle Tribe to the State Council of the Improved Order of

Miss Cora B. Lambeth, of Raleigh, N. C., and Master Ernest W. Lambeth, of Washington, D. C., are visiting their cousin, Miss Annie D. Lambeth, of this

A regular meeting of the Union Demo-eratic Club and Scouts will be held in Powell's Hall to-night at 8 o'clock, at which there will be the candidates for municipal offices. Mr. H. Wirt Brown, of Waco, Texas, is registered at the Exchange Hotel. He is on a visit to relatives and friends in this, his native State, after an absence of

go to Ashland next Monday to play game of ball, and there will be a conte either in Petersburg or here between to Richmond College and Cockade Ci

A picked Richmond base-ball team will

ocked up in the First Station yesterday morning, charged with being suspicious characters. They had four chickens, which were identified by Sarah Pettis, a

The members of the Young Men's Christian Association Boat-Club are busy putting their boat-house in order for the coming season. Plans are being made by which new boats will be added, and exbuilding. was in the city a day or two ago, says that there is no question that gold in con-siderable quantities has been found in that section, and that an old man in the

vicinity has for years made a living for himself and family by gathering up the stray nurgets. While Mr. A. W. Robertson, one of the vorkmen at the Alleghany Box-Works, 8xth and Byrd streets, was sawing some plank yesterday morning his right hand slipped, and was quite badly cut. The ambulance was called, and the doctor gave the necessary attention. Mr. Roberton was unable to continue work, and

Our Daily New York Hotel Report. NEW YORK, March 22.—(Special.)—L. Hutzler, Broadway Central; G. W. Parson, Mrs. J. E., Tyler, Imperial; R. L. Maury, St. Nicholas; R. Burton, Astor; W. B. Pizzini, Imperial.

THE JUDGE DISAGREES.

Quite Regular.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 22.-Henry F. Gibson, the young man from Charlottesville, Va., who came here a few weeks ago and started a paper, known as the Saturday Weekly Journal, and who got arrested after the first Issue of the paper, as heretofore published, was tried yesterday. Gibson, who is 21 years old, claimed that he was employed on the Charlottesville Gazette for several years, and he afterward went to work. When he rented a room in the power-house he soon made the acquaintance of nouse he soon made the acquaintance of some local merchants, among them being Mr. Addison, the paper-dealer. To a member of the firm he said he had funds in the People's National Bank of Charlottesville, and upon this representation he was trusted for \$6 worth of paper, and his check soon came back marked "N. G."

Young Gibson claimed that he fully expected his father to put money in the bank on which he cave the checks as bank, on which he gave the checks, a he had received a letter from his father to that effect.

They Think the White People Should Pay

NEW YORK, March 22.-A special from Birmingham, Ala., says: Three thousand negroes were in attendance yesterday at a State convention of negroes to consider the question of emigration to Africa, and that resolutions were adopted to the effect that as the whites brought the negroes to America they ought to pay their fares back to their native land. Bishop Turner was present, and advocated emigration.

The State Board of Agriculture was convened in called session at the Exchange Hotel at 8 o'clock last night. Present were President R. L. Henley and Messrs, S. Wellford Corbin, John L. Hurt, R. V. Gaines. A. Koiner, R. M. Mallory, and Colonel Thomas Whitehead, Commissioner of Agriculture.

Commissioner of Agriculture.

The Modern Way

commends itself to the well-informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner, and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, besidaches, Commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read. It was accompanied by a number of the commissioner's report was read.

A LOVELY WEDDING.

MISS ADA B. PARHAM BECOMES THE BRIDE OF MR. J. F. WHITAKER.

Nearly a Catastrophe at a Colored Fishing Party-Campbell's Bridge Will Be Open on Monday.

PETERSBURG, VA., March 22 .- (Special.)-A charming and beautiful home marriage occurred this evening at halfpast 7 o'clock at the residence of Captain W. H. Parham, on High street. The parties principal were Miss Ada Boisseau Parham, eldest daughter of Captain Parham, and Mr. James Fietcher Whitaker. a prominent young citizen of Wilmington N. C. Only the intimate relatives and friends of the family were present. The parlors were elegantly decorated in honor of the occasion. Rev. J. W. Rosebro, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiated, and made the twain one. The bride was attired in a handsome travelfing sult, and carried are exquisite bouquet of Marechal Neil roses. She is a charming and lovely young lady, and will greatly missed in the young circles of is city. The bride and groom left on this city. the south-bound train to-night on their wedding tour. The bridal presents were unusually handsome and varied.

CRITICALLY ILL. Mr. E. B. Perkinson, a well-known drug

Mr. E. B. Perkinson, a well-known drag-gist of Biandford, is reported to be criti-cally ill of Bright's disease at the home of his sister, in Chesterfield.

Mr. W. T. Plummer, one of our largest hardware merchants, has been confined to his residence by sickness for several days.

A party of colored people—male and fe-mate—living in Blandford went a-fishing down the Arrownstry, this morning, and down the Appomattox this morning, and the trip nearly ended in a catastrophe. It is reported that there was too much of the "O, be joyful aboard." One of the females fell overboard and was nearly drowned before she could be rescued, and had to be brought back home for treat-

The new iron bridge over the Appomattox river, known as Campbell's bridge, is nearly completed, and will be ready for travel by next Monday. The expense of this bridge is borne equally by the city and Chesterfield county, and will be a structure that will last for many years. TRAIN DELAYED.

The engine of the east-bound passenger train on the Norfolk and Western railroad met with a slight accident near Ford's Depot to-day, and was delayed two hours or more in consequence. Four loaded cars of the south-bound freight train on the Richmond and Petersburg railroad jumped the track just beyond Swift Creek last night. The track was cleared by the wrecking-car. beyond Swift Creek last night. The track was cleared by the wrecking-car.

The announcement is made here to-day of another candidate for the postmaster-ship of this city in the person of Colonel Joseph E. Rockwell, whose application, it is said, was filed at the department in Washington several days ago, Colonel Rockwell makes the fifth candidate for Central Stith Bullion's office, and it is General Stith Boiling's office, and it is feared that the President may be con-fused by the number and hesitate to make

A mean act was committed by thievelast night at the residence of Deputs Sheriff John T. Parham, on South street. The thieves first stole and killed all captain Parham's chickens, and then de erately picked the fowls in the back

The Easter Monday base-ball game will the Laster atomay base-out game with be played on the part of Petersburg by Willie Quarles, Junie Quarles, Kelfer Brodie, Liemberger, Lang, Ford, Peobles and Wilson, Mr. Willie Quarles will shortly go to Wilkesbarre, Pa., and Mr. Junie Quarles to New Orleans.

SHOCKED BY ELECTRICITY. Effects of Wednesday's Storm in Pittsyl

vania-Danville's Democratic Nominees. DANVILLE, VA., March 22.-(Special.)-Information has been received that a so-vere electrical storm passed over the Cas-cade section of this county Wednesday norming. There were seven discharges of electricity, accompanied by testing. destricity, accompanied by terrific of thinder, During the storm the house of Mr. D. L. Hanks was struck by a bolt, and his daughter, Miss Alice Hanks, was severely shocked, and rendered un-conscious. She was in that condition up to the hour of noon to-day, Mr. B. F. Dodson, who lives at Bachelor's Hall, also received a severe shock. He wire fence around his place, with one end fastened to a tree a half mile distant from his house. Just as Mr. Dodson was going through his yard gate, he touched the wire at the gate-post, and at that instant the lightning struck the tree; the fluid running along the wire and knocking Mr. Dodson to the ground.

Happily he sustained no serious in-The primary election for city offcer was held here to-day, and everything passed of quietly. It was a family tussle, and a large vote was polled. There was considerable scratching, mostly of those

andidates who had no opposition, SUICIDE OF AN AUSTRIAN.

Work the Cause.

LYNCHBURG, VA., March 22.-(Spe dal.)-Henry Lederer, an Austrian, late of Atlanta, was found dead in his room ing. The Coroner was summoned, and investigation disclosed the fact that it was a case of suicide. An empty ounce vial labelled sulphate of morphia told the story. Despondency, caused by failure to obtain work, was the reason assigned for

the rash act. AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

LYNCHBURG, VA., March 22 .- (Spe-

case was decided which, though involving only about \$25 in money, was interesting from the bearing the decision may have on other similar cases. Jones and Slaugher sued W. L. Royall, as counsel for the

foreign holders of Virginia bonds, for the costs, incurred in tendering coupons for taxes. The claim was that W. L. Royall and James P. Cooper agreed to insure against loss all persons who should buy coupons from C. T. Plunkett, a broker here, and tender them for taxes.

Jones and Slaughter bought some of the bonds and so tendered them, whereupon the State sued Jones and Slaughter for the money. In this way Jones and Slaughter became liable for the costs, amounting to about \$25. Then the suft was brought against Royall and Cooper for the amount. The defendants fought the suit on the ground that the courts here had no jurisdiction since the cause of action originated elsewhere. The plaintiffs took the other view, however, and the Court sustained it, awarding judgment for the plaintiffs.

COLD FOUND NEAR KEYSVILLE.

The Ore Yields Nineteen Dollars to the Ton-Will Mining It Pay?

KEYSVILLE, VA., March 22 .- (Special.) Gold has been found within one mile of this place. Ore is now being analyzed to see if it will pay to ming it. The lowest assay is \$19 to the ton. One small lot has been sold to the United States Government for \$30.

Louisa Likes the New Election Law. Louisa Likes the New Lice Special.)—The new election-law is generally admitted by our people to be a great improvement on the old way of voting. Ex-Senator W. E. Bibbs lost five sheep

by dogs a few nights ago.

The March term of our Circuit Court, which began on the 20th, ended yesterday evening, there being ony the usual routine work and no trials of importance.

Mr. H. B. Linney, of Gordonsville, was in town Wednesday.

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The post-office at Trevillans was entered and robbed of \$5 on the 19th instant.

Mrs. William D. Lumsden died very suddenly last night at the residence of F. P.

Danville's Future City, Officials.

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DANVILLE, VA., March 22.—CSpecial.)—
The following were nominated for city offices at the primary held yesterday: For Mayor, Harry Wooding; for Clerk of Courts, William Rison, for Commonwealth's Attorney, N. H. Massie; for Commissioner of the Revenue, William E. Boisseau; for City Sergeant, P. H. Boisseau;

Mrs. Wilson's Barn Burned. BELLS VALLEY, ROCKBRIDGE CO., VA. March 22.—Special.—The barn be-longing to Mr. William Wilson, near this place, with a quantity of grain and hay, was destroyed by fire yesterday morn-ing about 6 o'clock, There was no insu-rance on the building and the origin of

the fire is not known.

Virginia News Items.

The house of J. D. England, a farmer living near Stuart Draft, Augusta coun living near Stuart Frant, Augusta codin-ty, was burned at an early hour Tuesday morning, with all its contents, including about \$60 in money. The family barely escaped in Incir night roles, There was no insurance either on the building or

lady, who lived near Steart's Draft, Au-gusta county, died some time during Monday night, A little 5-year-old niece was sleeping with her, and when a relawas sleeping with her, and when a relative came to inquire as to the old lady's condition, the child coully told him she thought her aunt was dead. She had sleet part of the night with the corpse, and had arisen and calmiy dresset, slone in the room with the dead.

having fiel to evade punishment.

Successful Dental Student 2

included on Wednesday, and among the graduates announced were: Virginia-W. P. Lacy, James A. Proc-tor, R. C. Walden, North Carolina-H, Clay Daniel, P. E.

eived honorable mention. Worth a Guinea a Box. a 25-cent box of

will frequently prove as effective as a doctor's prescription.

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to that effect.

Judge Miller thought his transactions were not entirely on the line followed by most business-men, and held Gibson in \$1.50 Table Contains six stries of Double-Breasted Suits made of springweight wool cheviots, in most stylish patterns of gray and tan mixtures, diagonals, plaids, and checks. Whether for a Sunday, jury.

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29c. TABLE of Knee Pants contains Cassimere Pants that you have often paid 50c. tor. 49c. TABLE of Cheviot Knee Pants that you have often paid 75c. for.

Burial of an Infant,

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WILLIAMSBURG, VA., March 22.—(Special.)—Rev. W. S. Dorsett and Mrs. Dorsett arrived here last evening from Clarke county with the body of their infant child, which died a few days ago. The buriel took place in Cedar-Grove cemetery, and was attended by quite a number of the friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Dorsett. just | Dorsett.

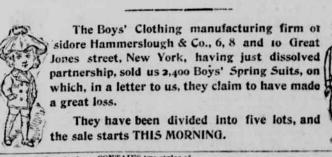
> E. H. Donnelly, who fell on a broken sidewalk in Roanoke, last July, breaking a log, and sued the city for \$5,900, was awarded \$250 damages by a jury. Corporal Cruett, of the Roanoke Light-Corporal Creek, or the gold medal in a competitive drill to determine who was the best-drilled member of the company.

Mrs. Catherine Blakemore, a well-known

with the dead. A jury was secured yesterday at New Castle in the case of ex-Principal R. C. Hartshorn, of the New Castle High-School, charged with abortion and murier. District-Attorney E party opened for the prosecution, and Mac Clargie Robinson

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Beecham's



98c. Table CONTAINS two styles of SINGLE-BREASTED LIGHT SPRING CHECK SUITS with fancy backs, corded seams, shaped collars.

\$1.19 Table CONTAINS seven styles of Twill Wool Cheviots, Printed Satinets, and Woven-Stripe Cassimere Suits, single and double-breasted.

An investigation will cause you to wonder.

\$2.48 Table CONTAINS All-Wool Cassimere Suits in dark mixtures breasted, with side-gore seams and twill satteen lining. \$2.98 Table CONTAINS Double-Breasted Suits of latest fashion-Blue, Gray Checked Cheviots, with silk-worked button-holes and facey stitching.

69c. TABLE of Knee Pants, made of the finest imported cassimeres. Some on this table Every Suit is warranted perfect, and your money will be refunded for every Suit that proves unsatisfactory after examination at home. There will be